

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hiroshi ISHII et al. Group Art Unit: 2838

Serial Number: 10/030,165 Examiner: Pia F. Tibbits

"Filed": January 30, 2002 Confirmation No.: 4354

For: ELECTRIC DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CHARGING AND

DISCHARAGING BATTERY UNIT OF THE SAME (Amended)

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

Customer No.

December 5, 2003

Applicants respond herein to the August 5, 2003 Office Action. Note the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the accompanying Substitute Specification. Applicants also include a marked-up copy of the Substitute Specification as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.125. No new matter is added.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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